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TITLE	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ADAPTIVE MULTI-CULTURAL SEARCHING AND MATCHING OF PERSONAL NAMES		

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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**SEPARATE PAPER REQUESTING  
REMOVAL OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2)**

Dear Sir/Madame:

The above-referenced application was originally filed with small entity status on behalf of inventors: John Christian Hermansen, Leonard Arthur Shaefer Jr., Heather McCallum-Bayliss, and Richard D. Lutz.

An assignment from John Christian Hermansen, Leonard Arthur Shaefer Jr., Heather McCallum-Bayliss, and Richard D. Lutz to Language Analysis Systems, Inc. was recorded with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel No. 010620 and Frame No. 0315 on March 17, 2000.

Language Analysis Systems, Inc. has been acquired by International Business Machines Corporation. The above-referenced application has been assigned from Language Analysis Systems, Inc. to International Business Machines Corporation, which assignment is recorded with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel No. 018532 and Frame No. 0089 on November 17, 2006.

International Business Machines Corporation is a large entity. Therefore, there is a loss of entitlement to small entity status. Applicants respectfully request removal of small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2).

Applicants have not filed any documents with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that required payment of a fee since the loss of entitlement to small entity status occurred. Therefore,

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Applicants believe that there is no payment of deficiency owed. However, should any additional fees be required, please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0460.

The attorney of record invites the Examiner to contact her at (310) 553-7973 if the Examiner believes such contact would advance the prosecution of the case.

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